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Sir:

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts dated May 3, 2001 for the above-referenced patent application under 35 U.S.C. 371, Applicant respectfully submits an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney as well as a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts and a check in the amount of \$840.00 to cover the filing fee and missing parts surcharge.

Although we believe that we have appropriately provided for any fees due in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiencies to/from our **Deposit Account No. 501136**. Two originally-executed copies of this form are being submitted.

Should there be any questions after reviewing this paper, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at (617) 951-6676.

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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